

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The claims in this listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1-13. (Canceled)

14. (Original) An information acquiring system in which a terminal apparatus acquires content related to a position in a predetermined region transmitted from a server, wherein the server comprises:

a position information receiving section that receives a position of the terminal apparatus; and

a content list transmitting section that sets, as acquisition-scheduled content, content in response to a position in which the content is expected to be referred to after moving and which is outside a communication-capable area, from the position received in the position information receiving section, and generates a content list storing at least one of a pair of an address associated with the acquisition-scheduled content and a position to transmit to the terminal apparatus, and

the terminal apparatus comprises:

a position detecting section that detects a position of the terminal apparatus;

a position information transmitting section that transmits the position detected to the server;

a content list receiving section that receives the content list transmitted from the server; and

a content acquiring section that acquires the acquisition-scheduled content, using the address associated with the acquisition-scheduled content stored in the content list.

15. (Canceled).

16. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 14, wherein the position information transmitting section of the terminal apparatus transmits a request for the content list to the server.

17. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 16, wherein the server comprises a content list receiver that receives the request for the content list from the terminal apparatus.

18. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 14, wherein the position detecting section of the terminal apparatus detects a moving direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus, and the position information transmitting section transmits the moving direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus to the server.

19. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 14, wherein the acquisition-scheduled content comprises content related to at least

one expected future position of the terminal apparatus where the terminal is unable to communicate with the server.

20. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 19, wherein the content list transmitting section determines which of the at least one expected future position of the terminal apparatus is located in an area where the terminal apparatus will be unable to communicate with the server, and identifies acquisition-scheduled content associated with the determined at least one expected future position.

21. (New) A terminal apparatus, comprising:

a position detecting section that detects a position of the terminal apparatus;

a position information transmitting section that transmits the position detected to a server;

a content list receiving section that receives a content list transmitted from the server; and

a content acquiring section that acquires acquisition-scheduled content, using an address associated with acquisition-scheduled content stored in the content list, the acquisition-scheduled content corresponding to a position in which content is expected to be referred to after moving and which is outside a communication-capable area.

22. (New) The terminal apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the position information transmitting section transmits a request for the content list to the server.

23. (New) The terminal apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the position detecting section detects a moving direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus, and the position information transmitting section transmits the moving direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus to the server.

24. (New) The terminal apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the acquisition-scheduled content comprises content related to at least one expected future position of the terminal apparatus where the terminal is unable to communicate with the server.

25. (New) An information acquiring system in which a terminal apparatus acquires content related to a position in a predetermined region transmitted from a server, the server comprising:

- a position information receiver that receives position information of the terminal apparatus; and

- a content list transmitter that identifies acquisition-scheduled content based on the position information, the acquisition-scheduled content being content related to at least one expected future position of the terminal apparatus where the terminal apparatus is unable to communicate with the server, a

content list being generated and transmitted to the terminal apparatus, the content list including at least one address associated with the acquisition-scheduled content and at least one position,

wherein the terminal apparatus comprises:

a position detector that detects a position of the terminal apparatus;

a position information transmitter that transmits the detected position to the server;

a content list receiver that receives the content list transmitted from the server; and

a content acquirer that acquires the acquisition-scheduled content, using the address associated with the acquisition-scheduled content included in the content list.

26. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 25, wherein the position information transmitter of the terminal apparatus transmits a request for the content list to the server.

27. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 26, wherein the server comprises a content list receiver that receives the request for the content list from the terminal apparatus.

28. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 25, wherein the position detecting section of the terminal apparatus detects a moving

direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus, and the position information transmitting section transmits the moving direction and moving speed of the terminal apparatus to the server.

29. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 25, wherein the acquisition-scheduled content comprises content related to at least one expected future position of the terminal apparatus where the terminal is unable to communicate with the server.

30. (New) The information acquiring system according to claim 29, wherein the content list transmitting section determines which of the at least one expected future position of the terminal apparatus is located in an area where the terminal apparatus will be unable to communicate with the server, and identifies acquisition-scheduled content associated with the determined at least one expected future position.